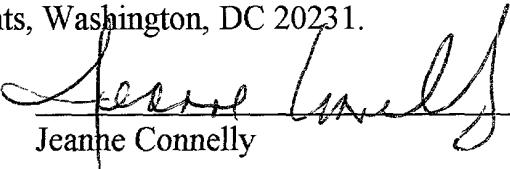


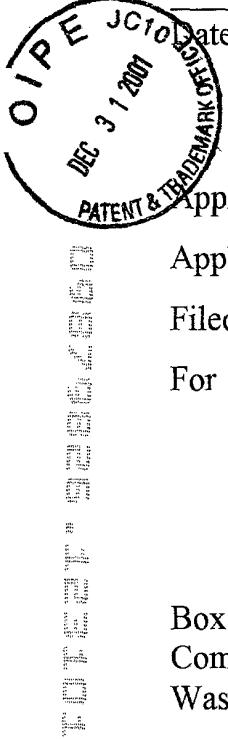
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Application No. : 09/879,826 Confirmation No.: 3467  
Filed : June 11, 2001  
For : METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR VALIDATING  
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated August 9, 2001, please find enclosed a Declaration, Authorization for Extensions of Time Under 37 CFR § 1.136(a)(3), and a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts for the above-identified application.

Please find enclosed a Petition for an Extension of Time, extending the time for response from October 9, 2001 to November 9, 2001.

A Transmittal of Formal Drawings (Figures 1-4) and Preliminary Amendment are also enclosed.

The fees have been calculated as follows:

Basic Fee	\$	740.00
Total Claims (39, 19 extra)		342.00
Independent Claims (6, 3 extra)		252.00
Missing Parts Surcharge		130.00
Total	\$	1464.00
Extension-of-Time Fee		110.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>1574.00</b>

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the filing fees of \$1574.00, and any additional filing fees or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0665. A duplicate copy of this response is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Declaration

Authorization for Extensions of Time Under 37 CFR § 1.136(a)(3)

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Transmittal of Formal Drawings (Figures 1-4)

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

### FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

#### *Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*  
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- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$582.
  - \$342 for 19 total claims over 20.
  - \$240 for 3 independent claims over 3 .

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- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 1422.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. ( 5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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